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Our Clothes Back Up Our Advertising

A CLOTHIER'S mere desire to serve his patrons well—to give them the best value for their money amounts to nothing—unless his stock of merchandise is able to back up his good intentions.

The man who has been disappointed elsewhere probably suffered more from lack of expert judgment in buying on the clothier's part than from any ill intentions to give him less than his money's worth.

You will find here, not only a robust desire to serve your best interests carefully and well, but you will find the largest and most complete stock of strictly new clothes in this vicinity to select from

Our summer suits are now ready for you—get one and enjoy the warm weather. They are priced to suit you.

You'd Like a New Hat From our Big Stock

Negligee Shirts. The kind you'll like to wear without a coat. They fit and have style.

J. V. BERSCHT
\$ \$ HABERDASHER \$ \$

BIG SALE

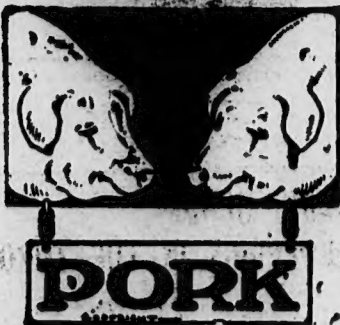
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Groceries and Provisions

will be continued until further notice

We are confident that we are competing with all catalogue houses. Come and find out for yourself by giving us a trial.

CITY MEAT MARKET
JONES BROS. Proprietors



WE are now ready to buy your **CATTLE** and **HOGS** and will guarantee to give you satisfaction in price and attention. Don't forget that we solicit your business and will give you our best attention whether we buy or not.

N. WEICKER

Office east of R. R. track,
opposite Union Bank.

Phone 85

UNION BANK OF CANADA Funds for Farming

A generous share of the financial resources of the Union Bank of Canada is at the disposal of Canadian Farmers.

We are prepared to advance you money for any legitimate need in your farming operations, on terms that are fair and reasonable.

DIDSBURY BRANCH
T. W. Cuncannon, Manager
Carstairs Branch—W. A. Stewart, Mgr.

NOTICE

To Advertisers, Correspondents
and Subscribers to the Pioneer

Owing to the new postal arrangements made for rural mail delivery in this district all changes for advertisements, correspondence, etc., MUST be in our office not later than Tuesday noon of each week to allow us to get the Pioneer into the hands of our readers at the earliest possible moment.

The mail for the west route leaves the post office at 7 o'clock Thursday morning, consequently the Pioneer has to be in the post office late Wednesday afternoon. The east route is not complete yet.

Our large number of advertisers and readers will greatly assist us by complying with the above request.

AROUND THE TOWN

Veterans of '85 are requested to give their names to either S. R. Wood or to Edward E. Fisher.

A box social and concert will be held at the Rosebud school on Friday, April 24th, at 8 p.m. Everybody welcome

Mrs. Cuncannon will receive for the last time this season on Wednesday, April 29th from 8.30 to 6.

Mrs. J. M. Hysmith spent the week end in Calgary visiting friends and taking in the horse show.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Levagood returned from a visit to Calgary through horse show week on Saturday last.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid will hold their "Exchange" at Mr. Studer's store on Saturday, April 25th. Sale will commence at 8 o'clock. An abundance of home cooking will be on sale.

Jimmie the five-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gathercole fell off a chair on Monday splitting open one side of his mouth. Dr. Reid was called and had to sew up the wound.

German Lutheran church services are to be held in the Lutheran church 6 miles west and 2 miles south of Didsbury every Sunday. On the 1st and 3rd Sunday services are conducted by the local pastor, Theo. Dannefeldt

PUPILS WANTED—H. Gathercole has still a few vacancies for pupils on piano, organ or wind instruments. Special attention given to juvenile scholars and convenient hours arranged for pupils from the country. Apply Pioneer Office.

The post office received orders from headquarters last week to go ahead with distributing mail on the rural routes at once. This countermanded the previous order holding over the distribution until May 2nd. There will be three deliveries west, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays; two east, on Tuesday and Friday of each week.

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ATLAS LUMBER CO. LTD.

All Kinds of Building Material
(Prices Right.)

Hardwood in Stock.

GALT COAL Hard Coal and Bricketts
Burns All Night always on hand

W. H. Stark, - - Mgr.

DIDSBURY MEAT MARKET SWELM & MORTIMER, Props.

We solicit your trade in the retail butcher business and promise you our best attention on any orders you may give us. The quality of our meats will give us your trade. Phone us your orders and they will be promptly filled.

FRESH AND CURED MEATS AND FISH

Store one door west of W. G. Liesemer's Hardware Store
OSLER STREET, - - DIDSBURY

The Didsbury Harness Store

The right place to buy Harness
of all kinds, Gloves and Travel-
ling Suit Cases.

If Hysmith says so it's so

J. M. HYSMITH

GET ACQUAINTED

Forced Sale
Now Going On
Saves You
Money

WITH
J. R. SHAW
Didsbury's New
Merchant

High Class
Goods Going
At a Very Low
Price

J. R. SHAW'S SALE SPEAKS

New Shipment of Latest Spring Suits and Hats just received

**Buy your Boots. Buy your Clothing and Dry Goods
PRICES LOW**

on Men's Women's and Child-
ren's, all Sizes on hand. Come
in and see us. We have a full
stock of general merchandise
and will be pleased to show
the goods

NOW

**Men's Suits all sizes
from \$5.00 up
Look them over**

PRINTS—8c, 10c, 12½c
Dress Gingham—12½c & 15c

SPECIAL BUY YOUR GROCERIES SPECIAL

PRICES	PRICES	PRICES
Flour, per cwt. \$2.85	Canned Fruit, 5 for \$1.00	Coarse Salt, 50 lbs. 70c
Salmon, per can .10	Lipton's Tea, per lb. 35	Fine Salt, 50 lbs. 80c
Seeds, 6 packages for .25	Canned Tom'oes, 2 for .25	Roll'd Oats, 8 lbs. 30c

J. R. SHAW, DIDSBURY'S NEW MERCHANT
Sells For Less
Make Him Prove It



THE RIGHT WAY

In all cases of
COLD, ETC.

DISTEMPER, PINK EYE, INFLUENZA,
of all horses, broodmares, colts, stallions,
is to

"SPOHN THEM"

on their tongues or in the feed put
Sponh's Liquid Compound. Give the re-
medy to all of them. It acts on the blood
and glands. It routes the disease by ex-
pelling the disease germs. It wards off
the trouble no matter how they are "ex-
posed." Absolutely free from anything
injurious. A child can safely take it.
Sold by druggists and harness dealers.
Distributors—All Wholesale Druggists.
SPOHN MEDICAL CO.,
Chemists and Bacteriologists, Goshen,
Ind., U.S.A.



**For Your Voyage,
Assures COMFORT,
and ENJOYMENT.**

You will act wisely when travelling, or sending for relatives or
friends, to insist on a passage via

THE CUNARD CANADIAN SERVICE

The equipment is magnificent. The Splendid Steamers of latest
model, and highest efficiency, carrying one class (II) Cabin and
Third Class only, are most admirably appointed. The surroundings
are most delightfully superb in their design, with a thorough
service so distinctively Cunard.

The Cunard Co. also maintains services between:
New York, Queenstown, Glasgow, Liverpool.
Boston, Queenstown, Glasgow, Liverpool.
New York, Mediterranean, Adriatic.

Including the fastest steamers in the world, "Lusitania," "Mauretania"
Now building for Canadian Service, S.S. "AURANIA"—14,000 tons

All information as to sailings, etc., and beautifully illustrated
literature may be obtained from any Railway or Steamship Agent
or by writing to

THE CUNARD STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LTD
304 MAIN STREET WINNIPEG, MAN.

FARMERS

Can always make sure of getting the highest prices for WHEAT, OATS,
BARLEY and FLAX, by shipping their crops to FOR WILLIAM AND
PORT ARTHUR and having them sold on commission by

THOMPSON, SONS AND COMPANY

THE WELL-KNOWN FARMERS' AGENTS
ADDRESS 700-703 Y., GRAIN EXCHANGE, WINNIPEG

SOW SIMMERS

ESTAB'D 1856

**Used by success-
ful planters**

for over half a century

Our large and beautifully illustrated
CATALOGUE FREE

J. A. SIMMERS, Limited
TORONTO, ONT.

SEEDS

CHILDREN

**TEETHING
MRS. WINSLOW'S
SOOTHING SYRUP**
USED BY MILLIONS OF MOTHERS
FOR THREE GENERATIONS

ALVER'S NERVE TONIC

Hundred capsules by post on re-
ceiving two dollars: cure Nervous-
ness, Headache, Neuritis, Rheuma-
tism, Sciatica. Write Alver, 501
Sherbourne, Toronto, Ontario

Mighty Careful

Marcel—Your friend Beaumont
seems to be greatly bothered with in-
digestion.

Waverly—I should say so! He ab-
solutely refused to attend a moving
picture show the other evening be-
cause one of the scenes had a banquet
scene in it.—Judge.

Bad Blood

is the direct and inevitable result of
irregular or constipated bowels and
clogged-up kidneys and skin. The
undigested food and other waste mat-
ter which is allowed to accumulate
poisons the blood and the whole
system. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills
act directly on the bowels, regulating
them—on the kidneys, giving them
ease and strength to properly filter the
blood—and on the skin, opening up
the pores. For pure blood and good
health take

**Dr. Morse's
Indian Root Pills**

W. N. U. 925

Arithmetic Justice

Rough and ready justice in Mexico
in the days of President Diaz is illus-
trated by the following story:

In a lonely part of the south a train
had been robbed by the inhabitants of
a certain village. The president told
a young officer to take his company and
"put an end to that sort of thing."
The young officer had every house
searched. Almost all contained stolen
property. He then marshaled the vil-
lagers, picked out every fortieth man
and had him shot. After this he said:
"I am taking my troops away, but if
any more train robberies take place
we shall come back and shoot every
twentieth man. Should it be neces-
sary to return again, every tenth man
will be executed."

No more trains were attacked.

SHILOH

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, and
the throat and lungs. 25 cents

Jackal Flies of India

There are certain East Indian flies,
several varieties of them apparently
of similar type to our own house fly.
Musca domestica, that have de-
veloped a rather ingenious, if some-
what disreputable, way of making a
living. This is the story told by Cap-
tain Patton and Craig in the Indian
Journal of Medical Research. The
proboscis of these flies is soft and not
suitable for piercing the skin of man
or the lower animals. So they hang
around some one of the several types
of biting flies, and when the latter
pierces the skin of the victim they
crowd him away and use the incision
for feeding themselves. If the biter
happens to be too large or fierce thus
to be driven from his prey, the fly
jacksal wait until he is finished and
then take his place. In view of these
observations it seems quite possible
that the so-called non-biting flies may
play a hitherto unsuspected role in
the transmission of disease.

Migard's Liniment Relieves Neural-
gia.

Historic Souvenirs

"Shakespeare once owned this
chair."

"I love old relics. Fine old chair,
and there is a wad of chewing gum on
its under edge. Now, Queen Eliza-
beth may have stuck that there."—
Louisville Courier-Journal.

Sweet and Palatable. Mother
Graves' Worm Exterminator is ac-
ceptable to children, and it does its
work surely and promptly.

"And you say you never attend wed-
dings any more?" asked the sweet
young thing.

"No, I do not," replied the bache-
lor.

"And why not, pray?"

"Why, don't you see what's happen-
ing every day to innocent bystand-
ers?"—Yonkers Statesman.

True Hospitality

I pray you, O excellent wife, not to
cumber yourself and me to get a rich
dinner for this man or this woman
who has alighted at our gate, nor a
bedchamber made ready at too great
a cost. These things, if they are curi-
ous in, they can get for a dollar at
any village. But let this stranger, if
he will, in your looks, in your accent
and behaviour, read your heart and
earnestness, your thought and will,
which he cannot buy at any price in
any village or city, and which he may
well travel fifty miles and dine sparsely
and sleep hard in order to behold. Cer-
tainly, let the board be spread and lie
in these things. Honor to the house
where they are simple to the verge of
hardship, so that there the intellect is
awake and reads the laws of the uni-
verse.—Emerson.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative BROMO QUININE
Tablets. Druggists refund money if it
fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signa-
ture is on each box. 25c.

"Charley has a fortune in politics.
He knows the ropes," declared the ad-
miring friend.

"Yes; I judged that he did from the
campaign cigar that he gave me."—
Buffalo Express.

Won Fame on its Merits.—The un-
bounded popularity that Dr. Thomas'
Electric Oil enjoys is not attributable
to any elaborate advertising, for it has
not been so advertised, but is entire-
ly due to the merits of this Oil as a
medicine. In every city, town and
hamlet in the country it is sought af-
ter solely because of its good quali-
ties.

A trained ostrich recently discon-
certed its exhibitor at a London music
hall by continually endeavoring to
break away from all restraint and to
climb over the footlights into the or-
chestra.

The widely advertised act came to
a sudden end, and the professor
emerged from behind the curtain and
apologized for the actions of his pet
in about these words:

"Ladies and gentlemen: 'I'm
very sorry to disappoint you this
evening. We're compelled to cease
our engagement until the manage-
ment engages a new orchestra lead-
er."

"The one at present employed 'as
no 'air on top of 'is 'ead, and my bird
takes hit for a hegg."

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

The Indiscriminate Phrase

"What's this?" exclaimed the sen-
sational editor.

"Story about a woman who put a
few people to considerable trouble,"
said the reporter.

"But you haven't identified her."

"We couldn't learn her name."

"What difference does that make?"

Not knowing her name would not pre-
vent you from referring to her as a
prominent society woman, would it?"
—Spokane Review.

He Can Tell

Hoax—The trouble with horse rac-
ing is that you can't always pick the
winner.

Joax—No, but I can tell when a
man is a loser the minute I see him.

Seek not to be rich, but happy. The
one lies in bags, the other in content,
which wealth can never give.—Wil-
liam Penn.

Healthy Boys

and Girls

Always Hungry

And for a quick, easily
prepared lunch, a generous
dish of

Post Toasties

and Cream Can't Be Beat!

The nutritious part of
white Indian Corn, skilfully
cooked, rolled thin, and toast-
ed to a rich golden brown

Ready to eat right from
the package—crisp, nourish-
ing and delicious.

Children can't seem to get
enough of Post Toasties, and
they can eat all they want
because this food is as
wholesome as it is appetizing.

—sold by Grocers.

Canadian Postum Cereal Company,
Ltd., Windsor, Ont.

General Stores Wanted

We have buyers waiting for the following:

Six buyers for General Stores.

Four buyers for Hotels.

Three buyers for Poolrooms.

Also numerous buyers for Grocery, Boot & Shoe, Black-
smith Business, etc.

Send us particulars of what you have for sale. If you desire
we will send you our listing forms to fill out.

SCOTT, HILL & CO.,

22 Canada Life Bldg., Business Broker's Dept., Winnipeg, Man.

EDDY'S FIBREWARE

Tubs and Pails retain the heat
of the water much longer than
the wooden or galvanized iron
tubs, are cheaper than the latter
and will not rust the clothes

TETLEY'S TEA

"A Pound makes More Cups
and the Flavour is Better"

Your Oven Gains

by Our Oven Test

Your oven becomes a
certain producer of more
bread and better bread.

We can promise that.

For from each shipment
of wheat delivered at our mills
we take a ten pound sample.
We grind it into flour. We
bake the flour into bread.

If this bread is high in
quality and large in quantity,
we use the shipment. Other-
wise we sell it.

There is no guess-work
about our promise of more
bread and better bread from
flour bearing this name.

"More Bread and Better Bread" and
"Better Pastry Too" 523

Cultivation is as necessary to the
mind as food to the body.—Cicero.

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LUMSDEN BLDG. (7th Floor) TORONTO.
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FREE TO ALL SUFFERERS

If you feel "hot" or "burnt" or "down" or "got the blues" or
"suffer from" BRUISES, BURNES, SCALDS, RHEUMATISM,
CHRONIC WEAKNESS, GOUT, GRAVEL, NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE,
write for FREE CLOTH SOUND MEDICAL BOOK on
How to Cure and Prevent these and other ailments. It is
THE NEW REMEDY, N-1-N-2-N-3
and decide for yourself if it
isn't ready for your own use. Absolutely FREE
No follow up circulars. No obligations. DR. L. L. CHASE
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Ideal Silver Cream
is a scientific pre-
paration specially
adapted for cleaning
all kinds of
SILVER & GOLD
PLATE, MIRRORS,
CUT GLASS or
WINDOWS. It is
a purely vegetable
compound and does
not contain any in-
jurious substances.
Any article polished
with IDEAL
will acquire a beau-
tiful lustre that will
not tarnish.
For sale by all
Dealers.

There will always be special privi-
leges. Some fellows can get a kiss
where others can't.

WILL EASE YOUR THROBBING HEAD--

AND STOP DROPPINGS IN THE THROAT

To Cure Sniffles and Clear Stuffed
Nose. Nothing Equals
"Catarrhazone"

You can end a cold mighty quick—
cure it completely—by Catarrhazone.
Any sort of Catarrh, whether in nose,
throat or bronchial tubes, can be
driven forever out of the system by
simply breathing in the healing vapor
of Catarrhazone.

It's in the nostrils and air passages,
that Catarrh germs breed. The germ-
killing vapor of Catarrhazone means
instant death to these germs—means
that a healing process is started
throughout all the sore membranes,
thereby effectually ridding the sys-
tem of the real cause of the trouble. 25c.

Catarrhazone promptly opens up
clogged nostrils, takes that irritating
pain out of the nose, prevents the for-
mation of hard painful crusts. If there
is a nasty discharge it disappears with
a few hours' use of Catarrhazone in-
haler. If a bad cold keeps you sneez-
ing, if you have dull frontal pains over
the eyes, you'll get the speediest cure
possible with Catarrhazone.

Years of wonderful success in Eu-
rope and America have proven Cat-
arrhazone a specific for all catarrhal,
throat, bronchial and breathing-organ
troubles. Simple, pleasant, safe and
sure. Use the tried and proven rem-
edy. Any dealer anywhere can sup-
ply Catarrhazone, large complete out-
fit, \$1.00; small size, 50c.; trial size,
25c.

MUNICIPALITY OF MOUNTAIN VIEW

WEEDS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the farmers of Mountain View Municipality that the Weed Act will be STRICTLY enforced during 1914. It has been noticed that weeds have been abnormally spreading year by year, and in order to check their growth or exterminate them, drastic measures must be taken in the public interest to check or eradicate them. Those who have weeds upon their land should plan before seeding the best way of freeing their land from them. Either summer-fallow or sow for green feed with the intention of cutting before the weed seed can ripen. If it is found that weeds are in your crop grown for grain you may expect to be compelled to hand pull them. It would be considered a favor if every farmer would send an unsigned postal card to the Secretary stating thereon the quarter sections in his neighborhood where he knows weeds are prevalent and also state the kind of weeds.

BY ORDER OF THE COUNCIL.

GOPHER BOUNTY

The Rural Municipality of Mountain View will pay the following bounty for the destruction of Gophers within the municipality by any method whatsoever:

1 1/2 CENTS EACH UP TO MAY 15TH, 1914

1 CENT EACH BETWEEN MAY 15TH AND JULY 15TH, 1914

The council will not furnish poison this year.

Those who wish to obtain the bounty must produce the whole tail of each gopher to the following councillors or overseers:

Geo. Metz	H. McLean	O. W. Hembling
M. McLean	H. E. Pearson	J. W. Bridge
J. G. Dougherty	A. A. Dyck	W. Rupp
C. J. Dickau	Harry Gibson	Chas. Deadrich
T. E. Smith	H. Moritz	F. Putzke
W. Ashton	C. Hutton	H. B. Hengstler
J. W. Francis	B. Roselbargo	Sam Cummins
Abe Smalley	D. McCuen	W. E. Flinn
C. O. Herron	Percy Saunders	T. B. Simpson

Those who wish to obtain the 1 1/2 cent bounty must produce the gopher tails to any of the above men not later than the 16th day of May.

BY ORDER OF THE COUNCIL,

J. E. STAUFFER, Secretary.

NOTICE

Take Notice that Pursuant to the Order of The Honorable Judge Winter dated the eleventh day of March, 1914, the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Town of Didsbury will be held at the School House, at the Town of Didsbury on Wednesday the tenth day of June, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

B. A. ST. CLAIR,
Secretary-Treasurer Town of Didsbury

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders will be received by the Innis Lake school board No. 2237, up till noon April 27th, for work on school cottage construction, situate 5 miles west and 2 miles south of Olds. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans and specifications may be had by applying at "PIONEER OFFICE" or to G. HAYNES, Sec.-Treas., Olds.

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ANOTHER chunk of the town is to be taken away. We don't mean that somebody is going to put it in their pocket and carry it off but that an application is or has been made to the department at Edmonton to take another 80 acres to the southwest of the town out of the town limits. The owners of these lands are not to blame, their taxes have been high because of the single tax which the government has put into force and which is the cause of many sins that are laid at the door of town government. If this keeps up, either the assessment or taxes will have to be raised considerably to those of us who happen to be unfortunate enough to live in the centre of the town. If the idea of the single tax is to put the small town out of business because of hardships encountered in raising enough revenue for barely current unavoidable expenses then it is working out admirably.

New Insurance Co.
Formed in Didsbury

A meeting of some importance was held in the office of Reed Bros & Paton on Friday afternoon last when the final steps were taken to form The Western Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Didsbury, Alta. The current issue of the Alberta Gazette contains the notice that the Certificate of Incorporation has been filed with the following named gentlemen as provisional directors: H. E. Pearson, C. F. Rennie, Peter T. Johnston, H. B. Atkins, E. B. Shantz, Wm. Rupp and Eph. Gabel all of Didsbury; the head office is to be at Didsbury and the liability of the members of the Company is limited. The first general meeting of the company is to be held in Didsbury on May 15th.

At the meeting held last week H. B. Atkins was elected President, Peter Johnston, Vice-President, T. W. Cunnannon, Treasurer, and Parker Reed Secretary Manager. A great deal of preliminary business was transacted and the new company started off in style.

Parker Reed, the Secretary-Manager, has had a large experience in in-

urance work and the company have chosen well in their selection for this important position in the company.

The company is owned and operated by the farmers and is strictly co-operative and will be ready to do business on Monday next. The province will be thoroughly organized well within four months and some of the largest agencies in the province, who have taken a very great interest in the organization of this company, have signified their intention of taking on their business.

It is expected that the company will be doing a large business in the near future as the need of such an insurance company is widely felt in the west, and if the business proves as successful as its promoters expect it will bring an amount of advertising to this town and district that will be of an incalculable benefit, and will also mean that Didsbury will have another addition to its business community that may prove of great credit to the town which it should with the above well known gentlemen at its head.

Any person wishing to get rates or other information concerning the new company will do well to call on Parker Reed, Whitley & Redding of Calgary are the general agents.

You Can't Earn Money
When You're Laid Up

There are a lot of people in this town who cannot afford to be sick. Perhaps none of you feel that you can, but certainly some of you can't, for as soon as you are sick, your wages stop and worry and debts begin to pile up. The sensible thing for you to do, as soon as you feel run-down and worn out, no matter what the cause, is to take something just as quick as you can to build up strength and health. Make yourself more comfortable and provide against serious sickness.

We don't believe there is any other medicine made that will do as much towards saving your health and thus helping you save your money as Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion. It is a medicine that gets right at the trouble and relieves it by toning the nerves, enriching the blood, and giving new strength and health to the whole body. It doesn't do this by means of alcohol or habit-forming drugs, because it contains none. Its strength and health-giving power is due to pure Olive Oil and the Hypophosphites, long endorsed by successful physicians, the one for its food value, the other for its tonic value. Here, for the first time, they are combined, and the result is a real nerve, blood and body-building medicine—a real strengthener that we are proud to tell you about. You don't need to hesitate in using it, because if it doesn't do all we say it will and satisfy you in every way, it will cost you nothing. If it doesn't make you strong and well again, come back and get your money. It will be given to you without word or question. Sold only at the more than 7,000 Rexall Stores, and in this town only by us. \$1.00. H. W. Chambers, Didsbury.

It Was a Famous
Victory

Those of the town daddies and the ratepayers who had been living in horrible suspense the last few weeks seeing blue ruin and a terrible catastrophe if the by-law for \$8,000 for completion of electric light plant (which had already been spent) did not pass rested their weary heads in peace on Friday night last after the results of the election became known. The ratepayers evidently looked at the matter in the right light and decided that Didsbury should at least not be burdened with an extra heavy taxation for the next year or two especially considering the condition of affairs caused by the fire. The vote stood 59 for the by-law and

4 against, the total number of votes cast being 63. This was considered a very good vote taking into consideration the fact that only registered property owners had a vote and that a large number of these were out of town.

Guaranteed Relief
From All Bowel Ills

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THE WINDOW AT THE WHITE CAT

By Mary Roberts Rinehart

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(Continued)

She didn't mind it. Speaking as nearly as possible from an impersonal standpoint, I doubt if she was even surprised. You see, the ring was gone, and it had only been an engagement ring anyhow, and everybody knows how binding they are.

And then an angel with a burning sword came and scourged me out of my Eden, and the angel was Burton, and the sword was a dripping umbrella.

"I hate to take you out," he said. "The bottom's dropped out of the sky, but I want you to make a little experiment with me." He caught sight of Margery through the portieres.

"Don't be an ass," I said angrily. "I don't know that I care to go out tonight."

"Let's go and take a look at the staircase you fellows have been talking about," he said. "I don't believe there is a staircase there except the main one. I have hunted every politician in the city into or out of that joint, and I have never heard of it." "Lightning never strikes twice in the same place," said Margery bravely. "I will ask Katie to come down with me if I am nervous, and I shall wait up for the family."

I went without enthusiasm. Margery's departure had been delayed for a day only, and I had counted on the evening with her. Burton's idea was to go over the ground at the White Cat again.

"I don't hang so much to this staircase idea," Burton said, "and I have a good reason for it. I think we will find it is the warehouse, yet."

"You can depend on it, Burton," I maintained, "that the staircase is the place to look. If you had seen Wardrop's face today and his agony of mind when he knew he had associated 'staircase' with 'shot,' you would think just as I do. A man like Schwartz, who knew the ropes, could go quietly up the stairs, unbolt the door into the room, shoot Fleming, and get out. Wardrop suspects Schwartz, and he's afraid of him."

"Suppose the stairs open into the back of the room? He was sitting facing the window. Do you think Schwartz would go in, walk around the table and shoot him from in front? Poo!"

"He had a neck," I retorted. "I suppose he might have turned his head to look around."

We had been walking through the rain. The White Cat, as far off as the poles socially, was only a half dozen blocks actually from the best residence portion of the city. We had stopped near the arched gate where I had stood and waited for Hunter a week before. Suddenly Burton darted away from me and I heard him splash through a puddle in the gloomy yard.

"Come in!" he called softly. "The water's fine!"

The gate swung to behind me, and I could not see six inches from my nose. Burton steered me toward the

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"If it isn't locked too tight," he was saying, "we can get in, perhaps through a window, and get upstairs. From there we ought to be able to see down into the club. What the devil's that?"

It was a rat, I think, and it scrambled away among the loose boards in a frenzy of excitement. Burton struck a match. It burned faintly in the dampness and in a moment went out, having shown us only the approximate location of the heavy ratched double doors. A second match showed us a bar and a rusty padlock. There was no entrance to be gained in that way.

The windows were of the eight pane variety and in better repair than the ones on the upper floors. We found one unlocked and not entirely closed. It shrieked hideously as we pried it up, but an opportune clap of thunder covered the sound.

While Burton held the window I crawled into the warehouse and turned to perform the same service for him. At first I could not see him outside. Then I heard his voice, a whisper.

"Duck," he said. "Cop."

CHAPTER XVII.

In the Room Over the Way

I dropped below the window, and above the rain I could hear the splash of the watchman's boots in the mud. He flashed a night lamp in at the window next to ours, but he was not very near, and the open window escaped his notice. I felt all the nervous dread of a real mafioso, and when I heard the gate close behind him and saw Burton put a leg over the sill I was almost as relieved as I would have been had somebody's family plate, tied up in a tablecloth, been reposing at my feet.

Unlike the first floor, the second was subdivided into rooms. It took a dozen precious minutes to find our way to the side of the building overlooking the club and another dozen to find the window we wanted. When we were there at last Burton leaned his elbows on the sill and looked down and across.

"Could anything be better?" he said. "There's our theatre, and we've got a proscenium box. That room over there stands out like a spot light."

He was right. Not more than fifteen feet away and perhaps a foot lower than our window was the window of the room where Fleming had been killed. It was empty as far as we could see. The table, neat enough now, was where it had been before, directly under the light. Any one who sat there would be an illuminated target from our window. Not only that, but an arm could be steadied on the sill, allowing for an almost perfect aim.

"Now where's your staircase?" Burton jeered.

Above the rattle of the rain came the thump, thump of the piano and a half dozen male voices. We could see nothing.

I think it was then that Burton had his inspiration.

"I'll bet you a five dollar bill," he said, "that if I fire off my revolver here now not one of those fellows down there would pay the slightest attention."

"I'll take that bet," I returned. "I'll wager that every time anybody drops a poker since Fleming was shot the entire club turns out to investigate." "I'll tell you what I'll do," said Burton. "Everybody down there knows me. I'll drop in for a bottle of beer, and you fire a shot into the floor here or into somebody across, if you happen to see any one you don't care for. I suggest that you stay and fire the shot, because if you went, my friend, and nobody heard it, you would accuse me of shooting from the back of the building somewhere."

He gave me the revolver and left me with a final instruction.

"Wait for ten minutes," he said. "It will take five for me to get out of here, and five more to get into the clubhouse. Perhaps you'd better make it fifteen."

He went away into the darkness, and I sat down on an empty box by the window and waited. Had any one asked me at that minute how near we were to the solution of our double mystery I would have said we had made no progress, save by eliminating Wardrop. Not for one instant did I dream that I was within less than half an hour of a revelation that changed my whole conception of the crime. I had an idea that it would be hard to explain my position, alone in the warehouse, firing a revolver into the floor, if my argument was right, and the club should rouse to a search. I looked again at my watch.

Every one who has counted the passing of seconds knows how they drag. With my eyes on the room across, and my finger on the trigger, I waited as best I could. At ten minutes I was conscious there was some one in the room over the way. And then he came into view from the side somewhere, and went to the table. He and his back to me, and I could only see that he was a large man, with massive shoulders and dark hair.

It was difficult to make out what he was doing. After a half minute, however, he stepped to one side, and I saw that he had lighted a candle and was systematically reading and then burning certain papers, throwing the charred fragments on the table. With the same glance that told me that, I knew the man. It was Schwartz.

I was so engrossed in watching him that when he came directly to the window I stood perfectly still staring at him. With the light at his back I felt certain I had been discovered, but I was wrong. He shook the newspaper that had held the fragments out of the window, lighted a cigarette and turned back into the room.

He was not alone, for he addressed some one in the room behind.

"You are sure you got them all?" he said.

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The Man In Seedy Clothes

How a Famous Gambling Resort Came to Be Discontinued

By F. A. MITCHEL

Half a century ago the celebrated gambling house at Monte Carlo did not exist. At that time Baden Baden was the center of attraction for those who wished to "buck the tiger." The building devoted to the purpose was not as splendid as that now at Monte Carlo, but it was a handsome one for those times.

One night a man of mean appearance entered the spacious gambling hall at Baden Baden, shambled up to the table and stood behind those inclosing it looking at the game. His eyesight seemed to be sensitive, for he wore colored glasses. His clothing was shabby, and his appearance was by no means improved by his beard, which was long and scraggly.

After watching the game for awhile he pushed his way to a seat beside the table that had been left vacant by a woman who had lost all her money and had nothing for a stake. On the stranger's left was a German baron, who, looking aside at his new neighbor and not relishing the proximity of such a looking man, gathered up the coins before him and withdrew.

The seedy individual drew from his pocket a purse, from which he took a few gold pieces and distributed them over the numbers he wished to cover. The wheel was spun, the ball rattled about in the inclosure, and the croupier announced what had won and what had lost. The stranger was ahead on his bets. The next time he lost, and next won and continued to win and lose, his winnings usually equaling his losses.

At the table directly opposite the newcomer sat a young man, whom a number of the players recognized as a member of the ducal court. He was known to be talented and a favorite with his sovereign. Much of his time was spent at the gaming table, and he reported said that a splendid estate he possessed was gradually being transferred to others through the roulette table. On this occasion he was playing feverishly, risking large sums and usually losing.

At last he had nothing more to lose and sat with his hat drawn down over

his eyes, the ball rattled, and, being at last caught in one of the receptacles, the croupier announced the result. A dozen gold pieces that the seedy man had placed for his vis-a-vis were covered by sixty pieces of the same denomination.

All eyes were fixed on the winner to see what he would do. Would he accept his winnings? If so would he repay the loan? Would he replace his new stake? Would he leave the whole amount where it was?

He answered these questions by doing nothing. He made no motion. His hat concealed the upper part of his face so that no one could see what it expressed. Since he did not withdraw his winnings it was assumed that he would leave them where they were. If he lost he would lose the whole amount; if he won he would win five times the sixty or 300 gold pieces.

The direction "Make your bets" was given, and the wheel was twirled.

By this time those about the table had largely lost interest in their own bets in the more absorbing diversion of watching this reckless player, who seemed resolved to risk all on one turn of the wheel. The ball rattled louder than ever in the surrounding silence. The hush continued till the croupier announced that the 5 to 1 bet had won again, then burst forth a din of exclamations.

The only impassive person at the table was the winner. He made no sign of excitement, did not extend a hand toward the gold that was poured out to the table for him to take up. The seedy man who was the cause of all this good fortune had ceased to bet, being apparently intent upon the person he had befriended. But his features, too, were concealed, the principal one, his eyes, being covered by the colored glasses.

The exclamations of the onlookers were succeeded by another hush. Could it be possible that the winner would leave what now amounted to nearly \$2,000 of our money where it was, taking the chances again of losing all or winning five times the amount? The silence was broken by a soft voice coming from the woman standing behind the object of all this interest:

"Carl, hadn't you better take up some of your winnings?"

There was no reply—at least none was heard, for at that moment the ball rattled again.

For the third time the five to one won. What was before mingled exclamations was now a hubbub. The heap of coins would be too large for the spot covered, and an 10 U was laid on the pile. The seedy man sat stolidly looking at the man for whom he had rendered possible these winnings, but he made no protest against tempting fate further.

"Oh, Carl!" cried the woman behind the gambler. "Don't! Please don't risk it all again." But the appeal was disregarded. The spinner of the wheel waited a few moments, but, receiving no sign that the money on the five to one spot would be changed, twirled it, and again the croupier announced that the bank had lost.

Something like \$50,000 had now accrued to the credit of the winner. The woman behind him put her arms about his neck, with her face close to his. It was noticed that she shuddered. The seedy man opposite arose with his eyes glued to the couple before him. Then the woman gave a shriek.

Some one pulled the gambler's hat off. A burst of horror followed the uncovering of a face that bore the pallor of death, eyes that were fixed in a vacant stare on the pile of gold before them. The woman fainted and was carried out of the room by one party of attendants, while the dead gambler was carried out by another. These two objects of interest having been removed, the crowd looked about for the man with the threadbare clothes who had furnished the original stake.

He had disappeared.

While the excitement, the horror, was at its height he was leaving the gambling hall and, passing out of the gardens in which the building stood, called a cab, got in and to the driver, who bent down to hear to what point he wished to be driven, said:

"To the palace of the grand duke."

Stopping before a door in the rear of the building the "fare" turned him over to a lackey for his pay and hurried upstairs. Entering one of the apartments, he summoned attendants, who divested him of his clothes and handed him others.

"Send for the Count de —" he said. The Count de — was the prime minister. In half an hour he appeared at the palace and was ushered into an apartment where the grand duke was awaiting him.

"Count," said the latter, "Baden Baden must cease to be a gambling city."

The count, astonished, waited an explanation. The grand duke continued: "One of our brightest young men, Baron Carl Steinforth, whom I have intended for a high position, has recently—so I heard—been losing his patrimony. Knowing that he has frequented the Casino every day and

evening, I went there tonight in disguise partly to see him for myself and partly to look upon what is going on there. I was present when he staked and lost his last coin. I put up a stake for him, which he did not notice, and I now believe he was dead at the time I offered it. I placed it for him where it would win, and it did win several times in succession. The baroness, his wife, came in to look for him doubtless to get him away at the moment I put up the stake. She waited while he won, then discovered the truth. She was carried out of the hall unconscious; her husband was carried out a corpse.

"I desire that you immediately take steps to recall the gambling privileges accorded to this nefarious concern. Let it be your first business on the morrow."

Such is the story of the recall of the license for gambling at Baden Baden as I heard it told by one who had been intimate with members of the grand ducal court. Had it not (the gambling) been transferred to Monte Carlo Europe would have got rid of a central point for gamblers. As it is, the business was simply moved from one point to another. But Germany is fortunate in putting it off her territory.

A Socialist State.

New Zealand has the reputation of being one of the most progressive countries in the world. There is practically no poverty which is not the result of laziness or drink. There are no millionaires and no slums. New Zealand is two-thirds the area of California. It has a European population of 1,000,000, almost wholly of British descent, and a Maori population of about 40,000.

The laws of these islands have become known throughout the world because of the advanced reforms they are supposed to promote. Primary education is free, secular and compulsory up to a prescribed standard, with free books, free travel on the railways for the children attending school, and where there are no railways an allowance for conveyance by vehicle or ferry or for board of pupils in the vicinity of the school.

Lives of infants are protected by taking them from hard and unnatural conditions and placing them with approved private families. There is a national endowment of 9,000,000 acres for education and old age pensions, besides 2,000,000 for special purposes of various educational institutions.

Public utilities are either nationalized or municipalized, including railways, harbors, postal and telegraph service, parcel post, postal savings banks, street cars, telephones, gas, electricity, water and other things. There are nearly 3,000 miles of railway and only 29 miles are owned privately.

Married to Kangaroo.

At the recent Church Congress in the Old Country, a speaker complained of the lack of information respecting the Empire at home. He said he had read of a poor woman who, when shown a kangaroo at the Zoo and told that it was a native of Australia, replied, "Good gracious, and my daughter is married to one of them."

This reminds us of the story of the Irish emigrants who went to the West Indies. They got on so well that a year or two later they sent and induced more Irish folk to emigrate. When the second batch arrived they were greeted by a crowd of blacks who greeted them with such homely words as "Begorra!" and so on. "What! black already," was the amazed comment of the newcomers.

Mayoral Election Customs.

The election of mayors in England on November 11 in some places accompanied by quaint ceremonies. The mayor of Lincoln, for instance, is inducted by placing on his finger an ancient ring.

At Cheltenham the mayor is presented with a gold-headed mallee cane, and at Grantham the new chief citizen is gravely tapped on the head with the town clerk's hammer.

From time immemorial the Mayor of Brightlingsea has been elected in the belfry of the parish church, while at Bourne mouth the new mayor receives a solemn kiss from his predecessor.

A Compromise.

The vicar of Leeds, Eng., Dr. Bickerteth, tells of a clergyman who rang him up on the telephone to ask if he would consent to his taking a marriage service in which the word "obey" was left out. He replied that he was not the bishop, but was tolerably certain that the bishop would not allow him to omit the word.

"But who is the lady going to marry?" he inquired.

The answer was, "She is going to marry a doctor."

He then asked, "Would she mind if you put in the word 'consult' instead?"

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PRIMITIVE FOOTBALL.

The Original Game Was Played With Heads of Danes.

Football is an ancient pastime, says an exchange. The old Teutons are credited with founding the game by playing with the bleached skulls of their enemies. Preliminary practice was first heard of in Chester, Eng., where the old English had sufficiently brutalized the game to give rise to many adverse criticisms, fragments of which have survived to the present day.

Legend has it that in 962, during the Danish invasion of England, a good man of Chester captured a Dane, beheaded him and knocked his head out into the street to furnish sport for the "fellows." The game of kicking the head around the city streets and even outside the walls of the ancient Roman-built city grew in favor. The exercise was indulged in whenever a Chester sport could annex a Danish head. But eventually the supply of Danish heads gave out. But the sport had secured a stronghold on the exercise-loving Anglo-Saxons and a "balle of leather called a football" was substituted.

The game developed into a rough-and-tumble scrimmage, and the ball itself would often lie forgotten for hours while the excited players chased one another through alleys and lanes and even into the houses of the more respectable citizens as results of arguments over the rules. It seems that even before William the Conqueror invaded England the interpretation of the football rules was a much-mooted matter. Scores were cracked, bones were broken and lives were lost. Yet the game spread in favor, and, jumping over the intervening centuries, is still spreading.

The modern school of football critics, just at present a subdued min-faction expressed by the public and the press, is not a whit more bitter than Philip Stubbs, a literary Briton, who way back in 1583 raked football of that day up and down, over and across in the following fashion:—

As concerning football, I protest unto you it may rather be called a friendly kind of a fight than a play or recreation, a bloody and murdering practice than a fellow sport or pastime. For doth not everyone lie in wait for his adversary, seeking to overthrow him and pick him on the nose, though it be on hard stones, or ditch or dale, or valley or hill, so he has him down, and he that can serve the most of this fashion is counted the only fellow, and who but he. So that by this means their necks are broken, sometimes their backs, sometimes their arms, sometimes their noses gush out with blood, sometimes their eyes start out; for they have the sleights to mix one between two, to dash him against the heart with their elbows, to butt him under the short ribs with their gripped fists, and with their knees to catch him on the hip and pick him on his neck with a hundred murdering devices."

Good Selling Label.

Much amusement was caused at Masterton, New South Wales, at the way in which a Chinese named Ah Fong overreached himself in his greed. Ah Fong was watching the removal from a lorry of a consignment of miscellaneous articles destined for an auction room, when, pointing to a wooden case which was being carried inside, he inquired, in an excited tone, "How much?"

"I sell him to-morrow," replied the auctioneer.

"No time to-morrow," answer Ah Fong. "Me buy now," and he secured the case for sixteen pounds. In half an hour the Celestial returned. For a time he was unable to speak for agitation. The outcome was ludicrous. It appears that the case bore an inscription in Chinese stating that it contained a false bottom concealing a hundred pounds' worth of opium. When Ah Fong opened the case he found another label at the bottom, which read: "Better luck next time."

A Freak of Nature.

While cutting up an ash-tree, eight feet in circumference, at Embleton Sawmill, Cumberland, Eng., the sawyers observed a dark object in the centre of the trunk. It was found to be a sparrow's nest containing the feathers and skeleton of a dead bird and four eggs. The egg-shells were exceedingly well preserved, but in the attempt to extricate them some were broken, and it was found that their contents had been entirely absorbed. It is assumed that the bird built its nest in the hollow of the tree and died while sitting on the eggs, the hole becoming sealed up as the tree grew. The nest had probably been built a century ago, the tree being over a hundred years old.

Professional Fit Thrower.

Professional poverty is a paying pursuit in London, and the strolling police know it. You may have noticed the lady who buries her head in her hands and howls on the steps of a west end restaurant. She is desolate and is in a fit. We run to her rescue, call the police. And when the lady has procured brandy and sundry contributions from the sympathetic public the constable explains that this is the lady who has nine fits a day. "And here's your cuffs, lady," says the constable, for the lady is careful to take off her clean cuffs before having her fit.—London Globe.

BEST LIKED MINISTER

RT. HON. LEWIS HARCOURT IS POPULAR IN GREAT BRITAIN.

Secretary of State for the Colonies Who Has Figured In the Public Eye in Connection With South African Labor Troubles Learned Politics Under His Father—is a Delightful Personality.

The Right Hon. Lewis Harcourt, Secretary of State for the Colonies, whose name has figured conspicuously in the communications between the Colonial officials and labor leaders over the South African labor troubles, is admitted to be personally the best liked man in the Asquith Cabinet. The late W. T. Stead once wrote of the handsome Colonial Secretary: "Though you may dislike his politics, you cannot help liking Lulu Harcourt, the able son of a very able father; in fact, whether in society, or in the House of Commons, or wherever you meet him, he is a delightful personality."



RT. HON. LEWIS HARCOURT. Born in 1863 to the late Sir William, by his first wife, the Colonial Secretary, after Eton, underwent his political apprenticeship with his father, as his private secretary in the Liberal organization, and was for some time secretary of the Home Counties Liberal Federation.

He was first elected for the Rosendale division of N. E. Lancashire in March, 1904. He was thoroughly at home in the Office of Works, but he could not frame a plural voting bill to please the House of Lords, and it was said at the time that he took no particular pains to do so. He was liked so well as a Minister by his chief that he was taken into the Cabinet as First Commissioner of Works, and in November, 1910, he was appointed Secretary of State for the Colonies.—Family Herald and Weekly Star.

The Kilt as Regenerator.

Sir James Crichton-Browne has been deploring the fact that there are so few perfect children in these days, and he has declared that the first practical step in the direction of making Medici Venuses and Belvedere Apollos is to drag all the flaws to light, as he is convinced that many of these are capable of correction or cure. Dr. Cantile, the well-known authority on child life, has promptly taken up the suggestion. He informs the public that the direct cause of very many of the imperfections of childhood and youth is improper clothing. Babies are adequately protected in this respect, and as a result "they are perfect reproductions in miniature of their race."

It is when the little boy is deprived of his swaddling clothes and is "breached" that the deterioration begins, and this is all due to the fact that the garments in which he is by custom and fashion habited do not provide sufficient warmth and protection to that part of the body which most needs these things. And of all garments in which we array our youths none is more severely condemned by Dr. Cantile than the Eton jacket, "which ceases just where warmth is wanted." With the case as stated there can be no hesitation in pointing to the remedy. It is the kilt—which supplies in every detail all the requirements Dr. Cantile desires in order that our boys may grow up braw lads. In Scotland's national garb we have indeed the regenerator of the race. Let the Kilt Society sound the pibroch loud and high!—Dundee Advertiser.

Poor Dora.

"Dora must have suffered some terrible disappointment. One never sees her smile now. What is the matter?" "She's had two front teeth pulled out."—London Telegraph.

Up in a Balloon.

To remain motionless and watch the earth fall away from you as rapidly as a baseball falls from you when dropped from a window is the sensation of going up in a balloon.

There is only one cure for public distress, and that is public education, directed to make men thoughtful, merciful and just.—Ruskin.



SOME ONE PULLED THE GAMBLER'S HAT OFF.

his eyes, doubtless to conceal his emotion, looking fixedly on the red where he had lost his last stake.

At the moment a handsomely dressed woman entered the hall with a hasty step and approached the table evidently looking for some one. Seeing the nobleman, she went to him, stood behind him and was about to lay a hand on his shoulder when the seedy individual opposite pushed a handful of gold pieces in front of his vis-a-vis. Whether the latter did not understand that an offer of a loan had been made him or whether he declined to accept a favor from one of such disreputable appearance none could tell. But he continued to gaze as before on the red, making no motion to use the proffered coins. Then the man who had made the offer partly rose, reached across the table and placed the money he had offered on a spot where if it won it would win 5 to 1.

This incident held the hand of the lady behind the nobleman, and instead of letting it fall where she had intended she waited. The wheel was

Rural Municipality of Westerdale No. 311

A meeting of the Councillors of Rural Municipality of Westerdale No. 311 was held at Westerdale on March 28th. Councillors Clark, Manson, Fisher, Gardiner, Brown and Haynes being present.

The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

The treasurer was authorized to procure from the Land Titles Office the information necessary for collection of taxes in arrears and for assessment purposes.

Councillor Brown, that inquiry be made regarding survey work for the municipality and that the requests which have been received for road diversions within the municipality be laid over until further inquiry can be made.

Councillors Brown and Manson, that the Reeve and Treasurer be authorized to borrow \$5000 for the purpose of assisting the school districts within the municipality.

On motion the following bills were ordered paid: Alberta Government for telephone messages \$3.35; Western Municipal News, subscriptions, \$5.00; Ira Gamble for road work done in 1913, \$18.00; Tom Neary for Deputy Returning Officers fees and mileage \$7.60; Guy Haynes, expenses to Weed Inspectors Convention \$1.00; N. S. Clarke, expenses to Weed Inspectors Convention \$3.50; H. Fisher and W. C. Brown, expenses to Municipal Convention \$10.00 each.

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A large number of milk producers attended the meeting held in Calgary last week to organize a Dairymen's Association and to take steps to adjust their grievances.

One of the questions taken up was the big difference between the price the consumer pays and the price the producer gets for milk and it was the opinion that the retailer was getting all the cream of the business. This matter is to be gone into more fully by the Association.

The committee asked that the organization be made complete with all its officers and branches; that a competent milk expert be appointed to look after the milk shipped into the city and make the necessary tests, weight it, and also see that no one tampered with it; that arrangements be made with the C.P.R. to supply an adequate train service so that milk would be brought to the city at the proper time.

Several other suggestions were made and left for the Board of Directors to consider.

The following officers for the Association were elected: President, C. R. Robinson, Macleod; Vice-President, Mr. Cosworth, Cochrane; Directors, Messrs. Smith, Olds; Sly, Strathmore; Hall, Crossfield; McEachren, Cochrane; Laycock, Calgary.

The drafting of bylaws and the appointment of a permanent secretary, were left to the board of directors. It was also decided to arrange for a meeting with the C.P.R. and ascertain what can be done towards giving a better train service to carry milk to the city.

Westcott Items

(Too late for last week's issue)

The weather seemed to favor the Westcott people for their Easter exercises at the Evangelical church, quite a number attending, also a goodly few from Didsbury.

Miss Mona Wilson from north of Didsbury has been the guest of Miss Violet Hunsperger over the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Stringer and grandma Stringer were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hunsperger on Easter Sunday.

Mr. J. H. Braun has his leg hurt pretty badly. We have not heard how bad as yet, but hope it is not serious.

We think steps should be taken to organize a choir for the church as we have some very good singers, and a little bit of encouragement and not quite so much criticism would help a lot.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Murphy and R. Lening attended services at Didsbury Baptist church on Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Weidner were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Hunsperger Sunday evening.

Our teacher Miss Powell is attending the teachers convention at Lethbridge.

Mrs. Rose Stuckney has been helping her sister Mrs. I. H. Levagood the past week.

Mr. Dan Habermahl took a flying trip through our burg on Sunday afternoon. What's the hurry Dan?

Miss Averil Murphy and two younger sisters, Geraldine and Doris were guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Hunsperger, on Sunday.

Mr. T. A. Murphy and Mr. I. H. Levagood attended the fat stock show in Calgary this week.

We wonder if our critic is ill or why we have heard no criticism this last week. Guess 'tis too hot for criticism now.

We think 'tis awful nice to go no further than the road for mail. Some class to our rural route.

Farming will soon be the order of the day, but now 'tis mumps.

We wonder why Ed. is spending his Easter holidays in Calgary.

There is a report that Jimmy Hughes shot two lovely wild geese last week. We think that some of our Westcott people have had the proof of this. Wild goose is surely a delicacy here.

Wm. Robertson Passes Away

The many friends of William Robertson of Westcott, will learn with sorrow that he died on Thursday last at the residence of his sister Mrs. W. J. McIntyre, in Didsbury, of tuberculosis. Mr. Robertson had been ill for three or four weeks but none of his friends expected his death which occurred rather suddenly. His age was 47 years and six months.

Deceased had been a resident of the west for fifteen years, coming from Arnprior, Ont., to Manitoba where he resided for three years. He then moved out to Alberta with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McIntyre twelve years ago and has been a resident in this district ever since.

He leaves three brothers and four sisters to mourn his loss; Peter, James and John of Arnprior, Ont., Mrs. W. J. McIntyre, Didsbury, Alta., Annie and Mrs. W. Phillips and Mrs. J. Hucklebone all of Arnprior. One brother, Donald, met an accidental death at Port Simpson, B. C., about seven years ago and both mother and father are dead.

The funeral services took place at the residence of his sister on Saturday afternoon and arrangements had been made to inter the remains in the Didsbury cemetery, but a telegram was received from the east asking the relatives here to ship them east for burial which was done on Saturday.

Mr. Robertson will be missed in his district because he was a good neighbor, willing at all times to help a friend in need although he was of a quiet, retiring disposition. Yes, Bill will be missed.

The very many friends of Mrs. W. J. McIntyre in this district also extend to her their sincere sympathy in the loss of her brother.

Bought Good Cattle

Several farmers in this district took advantage of the sale of bulls last week at Calgary to sell and also to buy some good stock. The bulls purchased are all of extra good breeding and should be a great acquisition to the dairy herds of the district and will also go a long way to raising the standard of cattle generally. Those who purchased bulls were as follows:

J. Hosegood bought a Shorthorn, paying \$175.00; Godfrey Carlson, Shorthorn, 2 yr. old, \$200.00; L. J. Fulkert, 100 lb. Angus \$80.00.

I. Levagood sold a bull for \$235.00; which was a pretty good price considering the average was only \$226.70 for this breed. This bull took fourth prize out of a bunch of 80. J. Hosegood also sold one for \$75.00.

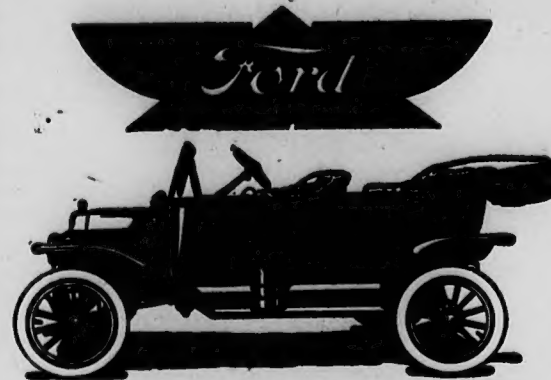
The highest price paid for a bull at this sale was \$565.00. This animal of course was a cracking good beast and was owned by A. Fletcher, of Mound, who bought him two years ago for \$125.00. He also sold two other bulls for \$400 each.

Average prices paid for bulls were as follows: Aberdeen Angus \$105.50; Ayrshires \$60; Holstein-Friesian \$78.30; Shorthorn \$165.50; Herefords \$226; Galloways (one only) \$285.

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ROD and GUN

ROD AND GUN for April is out with a bill of fare designed primarily for the fisherman. The cover cut, which this month is specially attractive, depicts a fisherman holding up to view a 17 lb. prize salmon trout secured last year in Algonquin Park. Bonny castle Dale contributes the leading article "Halibut Fishing in the Northern Pacific"; H. Mortimer Batten a well illustrated article on "Trout Farming"

and other stories and articles follow that describe fishing experiences, etc., in various parts of the Dominion from Atlantic to Pacific. Prof. Edward Prince, Dominion Commissioner of Fisheries and an authority on both fish and game, writes of "The Prong Horned Antelope of the West", which is said to be in danger of extinction unless immediate protective measures are adopted for its preservation. The regular departments are all well maintained.

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Gallen, the "father of the medical art," attached great importance to the antiseptic properties of sugar, but his discovery has been hitherto ignored by doctors and surgeons. A German doctor has just published a treatise demonstrating the extraordinary antiseptic properties of pure cane sugar in the treatment of wounds, thus giving additional proof of the old adage that there is nothing new under the sun.

As a result of a number of experiments it is conclusively proved that a solution of sugar is one of the best disinfectants and sterilizers that can be found. The German doctor employed it successfully in a number of very grave cases. Its use was entirely beneficial and prevented putrefaction of wounds and contamination by microbes more efficaciously than any other medical antiseptic.

The use of sugar as a preservative of liquids, especially of milk, is common enough but very few people were aware of the fact that it is a powerful microbe-killer.

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A small boy had been given a penny with a hole in it. Handing it to a still smaller companion, he said:
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Jimmie was quite willing. Entering boldly, he said:
"I want a doughnut." And, taking it, he hastily presented the penny.
"Here," said the clerk, "this penny has a hole in it."
"So has the doughnut," announced Jimmie, triumphantly, holding it up.—The Delineator.

The marine barracks at Washington were visited on one occasion by a party of young girls from a Delaware town, friends of the officers of the barracks. The party exhibited much interest in everything pertaining to the life and discipline of the post.

"What do you mean by 'taps'?" queried one of the young women.
"Taps is played every night on the bugle," answered the officer addressed. "It means 'lights out.' They play it over the bodies of dead soldiers."

A puzzled look overspread the questioner's pretty face. Then she asked:
"What do you do if you haven't a dead soldier?"—Harper's Magazine.

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Wise Boy
"What is the highest form of animal life?" demanded the teacher. "A giraffe," promptly replied the boy at the foot of the class.

That Dip
"Jack would risk his very bones for me."
"How do you know?"
"He's always willing to tango."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Clean Stomach, Clean Mind.—The stomach is the workshop of the vital functions and when it gets out of order the whole system clogs in sympathy. The spirits flag, the mind droops and work becomes impossible. The first care should be to restore healthful action of the stomach and the best preparation for that purpose is Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. General use for years has won them a leading place in medicine. A trial will attest their value.

"Now, Willie," said the visitor, to a little fellow who had been in school only two weeks, "who is the smartest boy in your class?"
"I'd like to tell you," he replied, "but papa says I mustn't boast."

Not For Him
"See here, waiter," exclaimed the indignant customer, "here's a piece of wood in my sausage!"
"Yes, sir," replied the waiter, consolingly, "but I'm sure—er—"
"Sure nothing," he didn't mind eating the dog, but I'm blowed if I'm going to eat the kennel too!"

Uncorker of Ocean Bottles

It is not many years since the high sounding post of uncorker of ocean bottles travelled slowly in Queen Elizabeth's time, and the first news she had of the taking of Nova Zembla by the Dutch was found in a bottle picked up by a Deal fisherman named Donfield, who forwarded the message to the lord high admiral. Queen Elizabeth was struck by the idea and decreed that all bottles with inclosures found on the coast should be forwarded to the lord high admiral, Tonfield being appointed uncorker. The post survived for centuries.

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Patient—Doctor, can't you diagnose my case—can't you tell what is the matter with me?

Doctor—Madame, I regret to inform you that I cannot. Nothing short of an autopsy will reveal that.

Patient—Then go right ahead with it, doctor, this is no time for me to display false modesty.—New York Sun.

"Fred, do you remember where you were in 1910?" asked the bride of a few months.

"Why, no, dear, I don't remember exactly," replied the young husband.

"Why do you ask?"
"Why, I was reading today in the paper that it is said that in 1910 one person in every 800 in the United States was in prison."

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By the Fireside

Thankful for fire in this world. As blizzard-winds sweep by, But heaven forbid that in the next It keeps up hopping high!

"My grandfather flew his own pennant as a commodore in the navy."

"Yah! My grandfather helped capture one in a world's series."

Most people would be benefited by the occasional use of **Na-Dru-Co-Laxatives** Gently, thoroughly, and without discomfort, they free the system of the waste which poisons the blood and lowers the vitality. 25c. a box, at your Druggist's. **National Drug and Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited, 176**



Whenever you feel a headache coming on take NA-DRU-CO Headache Wafers

They stop headaches promptly and surely. Do not contain opium, morphine, phenacetin, acetanilid or other dangerous drugs. 25c. a box at your Druggist's. 128

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Concrete Fence Posts Last Forever
THEY never rot away in the ground. They stand the hardest knocks and never have to be replaced, for they are practically everlasting. They are easily and cheaply made and are the most satisfactory of all fence posts.

Concrete Drain Tile Cannot Decay
Concrete drains do not decay and are cheaper, because they do not crumble and stop up drains, hence they need no digging up or relaying.

Let us send you this free book, "What the Farmer can do with Concrete." It shows you how to make concrete fence posts and will save you many dollars when doing other building 'round the farm.

Farmer's Information Bureau
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505 Herald Building, Montreal

Cost of Colt Rearing

Observations made by the bureau of statistics of the United States department of agriculture show the average cost of raising a three-year-old colt to be \$104, or deducting the value of his labor, during the period, a net cost of \$96.50. This figure represents 71 per cent. of the selling value.

The figures are the results of reports made by ten thousand correspondents—reports which showed the cost to vary widely by states, that in the east being about twice as much as that in the west.

Of the total cost, 54 per cent. is charged to feed, 16 per cent. to care and shelter, and 30 per cent. to miscellaneous items. Since more than all the cost of raising is chargeable to feed, it may readily be seen that the prices of feedstuffs have an important bearing upon the cost of raising a colt.

One is usually unable to secure such complete statistics upon this subject. Too often the cost of raising farm animals is a matter shrouded in mystery to the farmers themselves.

WOMEN NEED GIN PILLS

For Weak Backs and Headaches

Miss Ethel B. Combe of Port Huron, N.S., writes: "I was troubled with Kidney Disease for several years. My back was weak, I had terrible headaches and was so restless that I could not sleep at night. At last a friend told me about GIN PILLS. I, at once, got a box and after taking them I felt better—after taking three boxes, I was cured."

50c a box, 6 for \$2.50. Sample free if you write National Drug & Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited, Toronto.

The Sunday school teacher was catechizing a new junior pupil.

"Do you know," she queried, "that you have a soul?"
"Of course, I do," replied the little fellow. "I can hear it tick."

Before the passage of the present strict banking laws in Wisconsin, starting a bank was a comparatively simple proposition. The surprisingly small amount of capital needed is well illustrated by the story a prosperous country town banker told on himself, when asked how he happened to enter the banking business:

"Well," he said, "I didn't have much else to do, so I rented an empty store building and painted bank on the window. The first day I was open for business a man came in and deposited a hundred dollars with me; the second day another man dropped in and deposited two hundred and fifty dollars; and so, by George, along about the third day I got confidence enough in the bank to put in a hundred myself."

Many Prehistoric Remains

During dredging operations in the weir stream at Marlow, England, a piece of bone, two horns, and a portion of an antler were raised from the peaty soil about two feet below the river bed. The bone and horns belong to an extinct prehistoric animal, and the antler to an animal which, it is stated, lived about 10,000 years ago.

SPRING BLOOD IS WATERY BLOOD

How to Get New Health and New Strength at This Season

Spring ailments are not imaginary. Even the most robust find the winter months most trying to their health. Confinement indoors, often in overheated and nearly always badly ventilated rooms—in the home, the office, the shop and the schools, taxes the vitality of even the strongest. The blood becomes thin and watery and is clogged with impurities. Some people have headaches and a feeling of languor. Others are low-spirited and nervous. Still others are troubled with disgusting pimples and skin eruptions, while some get up in the morning feeling just as tired as when they went to bed. These are all spring symptoms that the blood is out of order and that a medicine is needed. Many people take purgative medicines in the spring. This is a serious mistake. You cannot cure yourself with a medicine that gallops through your system and leaves you weaker still. This is all that a purgative does. What you need to give you health and strength in the spring is a tonic medicine that will enrich the blood, and soothe the jangled nerves. And the one always reliable tonic and blood builder is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills not only banish spring weakness, but guard you against the more serious ailments that follow, such as anemia, nervous debility, indigestion, rheumatism and other diseases due to bad blood.

Mrs. Freeman Leslie, Greenwich, N. S., writes: "We have found Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the very best family medicine there is. I was completely run-down and could not sleep or do my work. I was very nervous and the least sound startled me. I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and they soon brought me back to the best of good health. They also cured my husband when he was suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism."

If you are ailing this spring you cannot afford, in your own interest, to overlook so valuable a medicine as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Dates Changed---Didsbury Fair, August 27 and 28, '14

"8 DAYS" Eight Days More For Piano Contest

Every Day Counts, So Get Busy

100,000 Votes on all Made to Order Suits, and Five Times as Many on the Red Ticket
Choice Bulk Black Tea---regular price 40c, now 3 lbs. for \$1.00. 10,000 Votes on Tea
Pictures and Clothes Horses as per last weeks paper

Bring in your votes next Wednesday as we want to post up result Thursday morning. Votes will not be accepted after 8 o'clock Thursday evening. Any Contestant buying votes from this date will be barred from contest.

On Monday, April 27th, 100 votes for one cent. These votes will not be given out but will be credited to the number you are working for.

SPECIALS WILL BE CALLED OFF FOR MONDAY

100 votes for one cent will apply on these articles. Bring your red ticket.
We are now giving 50,000 Votes on every Coupon Book Sold. Watch for our ad next week.

STUDER & COMPANY

MARRIED

DICKSON-GERTZ--At the residence of the bride's parents, Didsbury, on Tuesday, April 21st, 1914, David B. Dickson to Miss Hannah Gertz.

How To Take Good Care of Your Hair

Nothing spoils your good looks so much as homely hair--stringy, dull-colored, harsh. Nothing adds to good looks so much as beautiful hair--soft, silky, wavy and glossy. No matter how beautiful your hair is now, you can improve its good looks by using Harmony Hair Beautifier. If your hair is homely and ugly now, Harmony Hair Beautifier will make it softer, silkier glossier, more beautiful in every way, and easier to put up and "stay put." Its rich rose odor hides the unpleasant oily smell of the hair. It is rightly named; it beautifies the hair.

Very easy to apply--simply sprinkle a little on your hair each time before brushing it. It contains no oil, and will not change the color of the hair, nor darken gray hair. To keep hair and scalp dandruff free and clean, use Harmony Shampoo. This pure liquid shampoo gives an instantaneous rich lather that immediately penetrates to every part of hair and scalp, insuring a quick and thorough cleansing. Washed off just as quickly, the entire operation takes only a few moments. Contains nothing that can harm the hair; leaves no harshness or stickiness.

Both preparations come in odd-shaped, very ornamental bottles, with sprinkler tops. Harmony Hair Beautifier, \$1.00. Harmony Shampoo, 50c. Both guaranteed to satisfy you in every way, or your money back. Sold only at the more than 7,000 Rexall Stores, and in this town only by us. H. W. Chambers, Didsbury.

FOR SALE

For Cash or for Secured
Bankable Notes

Bay Clyde Mare, 9 yrs. old, wgt. 1500, due to foal May 15th, well broken to ride, drive or work.
2 Brown Mare Ponies, 8 and 9 yrs. old, wgt. 800 lbs. each, broken to ride or drive. A lady can handle them. Spirited and lively.

Brown Pony Mare, 4 yrs. old, wgt. 900, broken to ride and drive.

Team Bay Clyde Mares, 6 and 7 yrs. old, wgt. 1200 lbs. each. Well broken to ride, drive or work.

CALL OR WRITE,
FRED C. CORNFORD
BERGEN, P. O.

HIGHEST CASH PRICES paid for eggs by A. A. Ferrin, the egg merchant, Didsbury.

AROUND THE TOWN

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The Council held a regular meeting on Monday night but very little business was transacted. The by-law for \$8,000 received its third reading and was passed and a few accounts amounting to \$149.90 were ordered paid. The Council adjourned earlier than they have done for some months back.

A card party will be given in the Opera House, Didsbury, on Friday, April 24th, 1914, by the Women's Guild of the church of England, in aid of lawn tennis club. Cards--whist and 500, 8 to 11 p.m. Dancing 11 to 1. Tickets, \$1.00 couple.

A very successful home gathering of the Evangelical Y. P. A. was held at the parsonage on Tuesday evening. About forty young people were present and participated in various bible exercises and all reported having spent a most profitable time.

Miss J. M. Hallett has resigned her position as teacher at the public school on account of ill health, the resignation takes effect at the end of the month. Miss M. A. Clayton, who formerly taught the Sunnyslope school has been engaged by the School Board to complete Miss Hallett's term.

Building Activity

Strangers coming into town on Monday morning might have thought that the yellow peril had struck town and that Didsbury was being heavily bombarded. However, we hasten to assure them that this was not so. It was only one of Didsbury's growing pains finding vent in noise. They were blasting out the foundations and cellar for the big new Golden West Hotel with dynamite.

Geo. Hong Foo is one of the hustling members of this community. He took time by the forelock and the brickwork for his fine new building on Rail-

DIDSBURY MARKETS

Steers, grain fed, live	\$ 6.50
Beef, corn fed, dressed	11.00
Veal, dressed	13.00
Hogs, live	7.00
Hogs, dressed	10.00
Bacon, No. 1, smoked	0.21
Hams, No. 1	0.21
Mutton, dressed	0.12
Chickens, spring dressed	0.13
Clickens, live	0.10
Fowl	0.08
Hides, green	0.08
Butter, choice	0.20
Eggs	0.18
Potatoes, bushel	0.35
Wheat, No. 1 red	0.70
Wheat, No. 1 white	0.70
Oats	0.23
Barley, No. 3	0.32
Rye	0.45
Hay, timothy	9.00
Hay, upland	6.00

way Ave. is completed. It will be one of the most solid and substantial buildings in town when completed.

The contractors, who have the building of H. W. Chambers store on the corner of Railway Ave. and Berlin street have the foundations all laid and are rushing with the other part of the building.

Sinclair Bros., blacksmiths, are hard at work with their new building on Railway Ave. The building will be of solid concrete and will make one of the safest and best blacksmith's shops in Alberta.

Mayor Atkins has had a small building put up at the back of his business premises for an office until his new office is ready.

BUSINESS LOCALS

3C A LINE IN ADVANCE
IN THIS COLUMN

IF YOU WANT TO SELL your land call in and list with Reed Bros. & Paton at an early date, as we have buyers coming.

BACK ON THE MARKET again with \$500,000 to loan on farm property. Old mortgages bought and more money advanced if desired. G. B. SEXSMITH.

I have some very desirable revenue producing property in the City of Calgary for To exchange for farm property in the Didsbury District. Also am receiving enquiries for farm land from prospective buyers. List your farms. Remember I have \$100,000 to loan on farm property. Old mortgage taken over and more money advanced. Come in and get some of this stuff. G. B. SEXSMITH.

FOR SALE--Some good seed oats, and also some seed barley, both hold government test. Apply W. J. SCHMIDT, 1 1/2 miles east of Didsbury.

JUST arrived, a large shipment of Boys Suits and Knickers. J. V. Bensch.

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Chopping done every day--no matter who says different

BRAN and SHORTS, FLOUR and FEED

Try our **WHITE WINTER WHEAT PASTRY FLOUR** the only genuine pastry in the market. It takes only half the amount of shortening.

Our sales for Maple Leaf Patent are increasing. What does that mean?

MAPLE LEAF LIMITED, Didsbury

The Farmer's Harness Store

We are more than pleased with the patronage we have received since again opening up business.

We are competing with Mail Order Houses in Price and give better Quality

As a special inducement to all those requiring

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we will PREPAY FREIGHT OR EXPRESS to Didsbury, Carstairs, Crossfield or Acme.

Buy Home Goods and help to keep the money made in the district, in a place where it will have a chance to return to you.

Call and see our Sample Stock, one door south of Hislop's HARDWARE STORE, CARSTAIRS.

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SADDLE PONY FOR SALE. Perfectly gentle. Apply to J. H. Anderson, Didsbury.

FOR SALE--Barrad Rock and Bronze turkey eggs. Apply S. R. McAllister, Lone Pine, Alta.